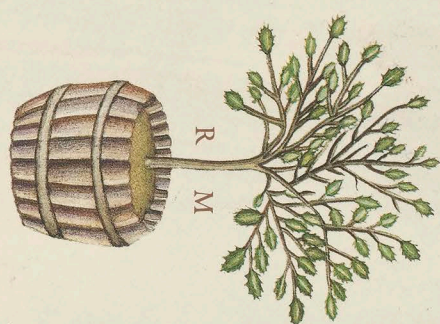


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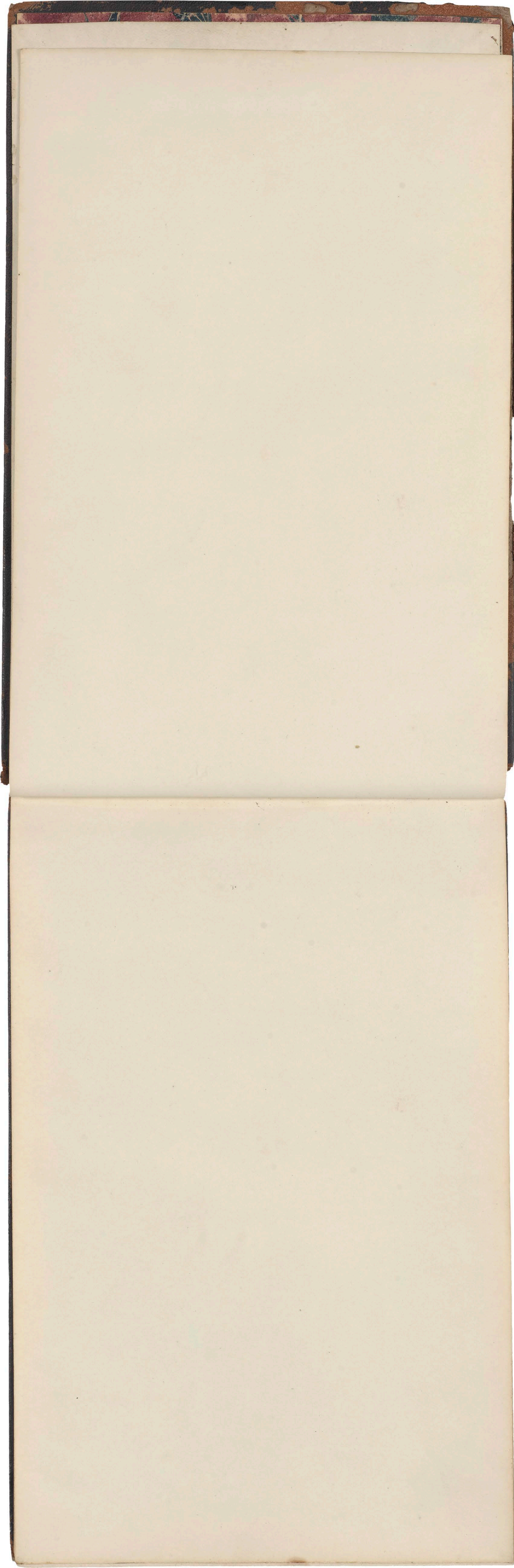
TEMPLE & BEARD.

Oak Spring Garden Library



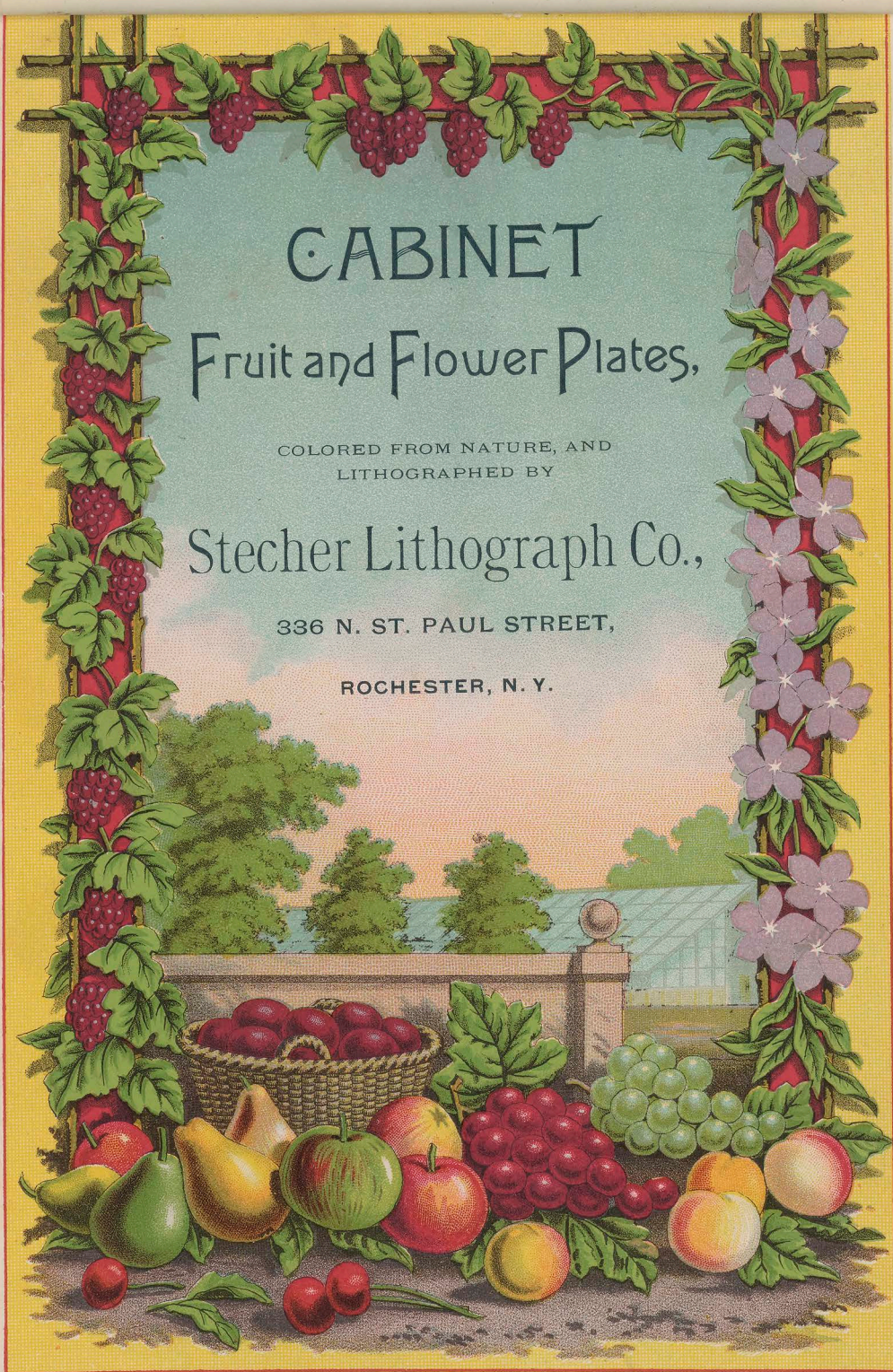
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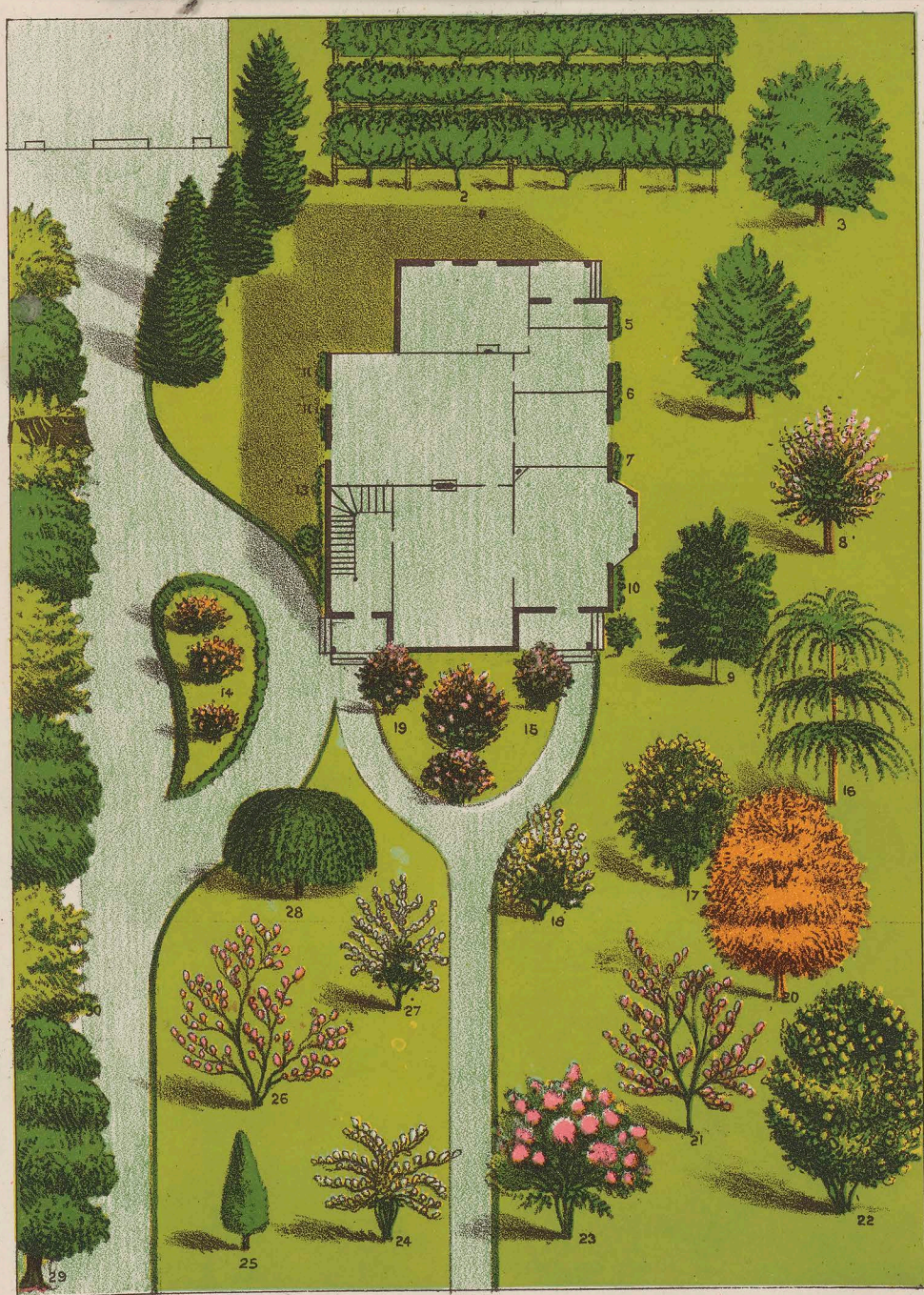
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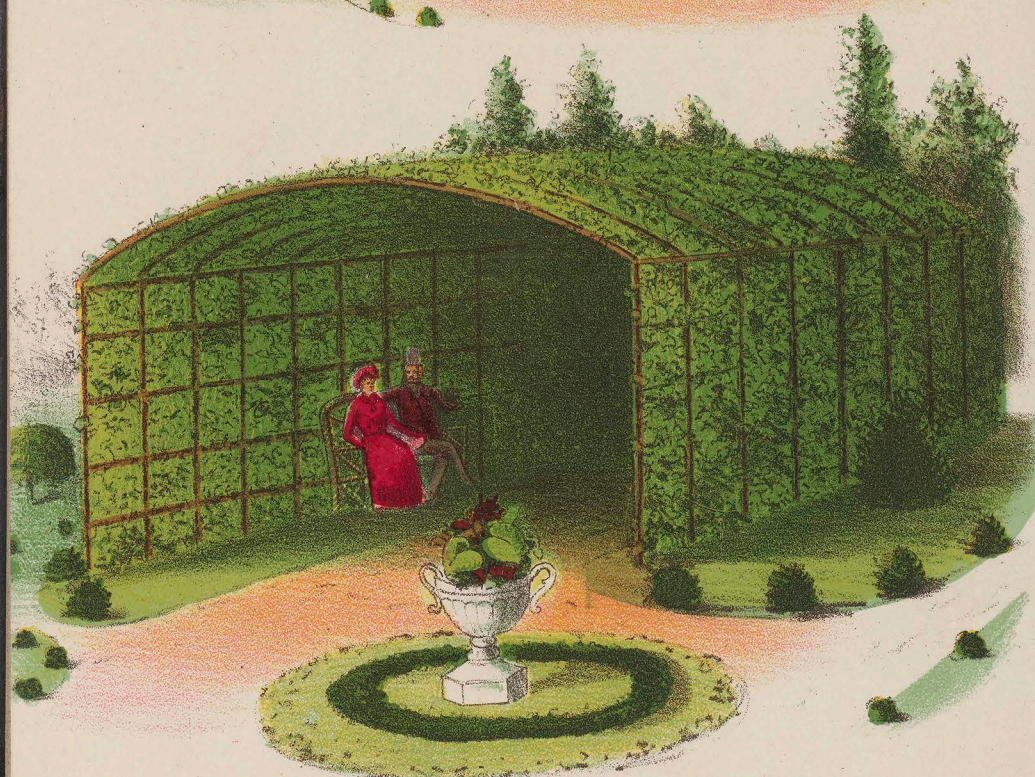
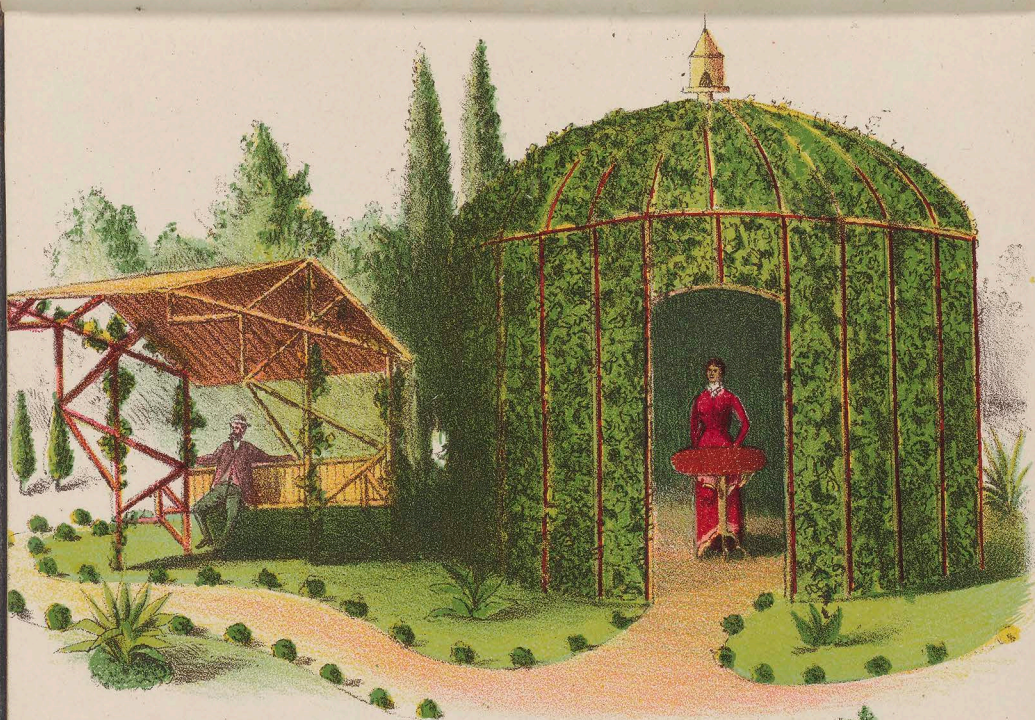
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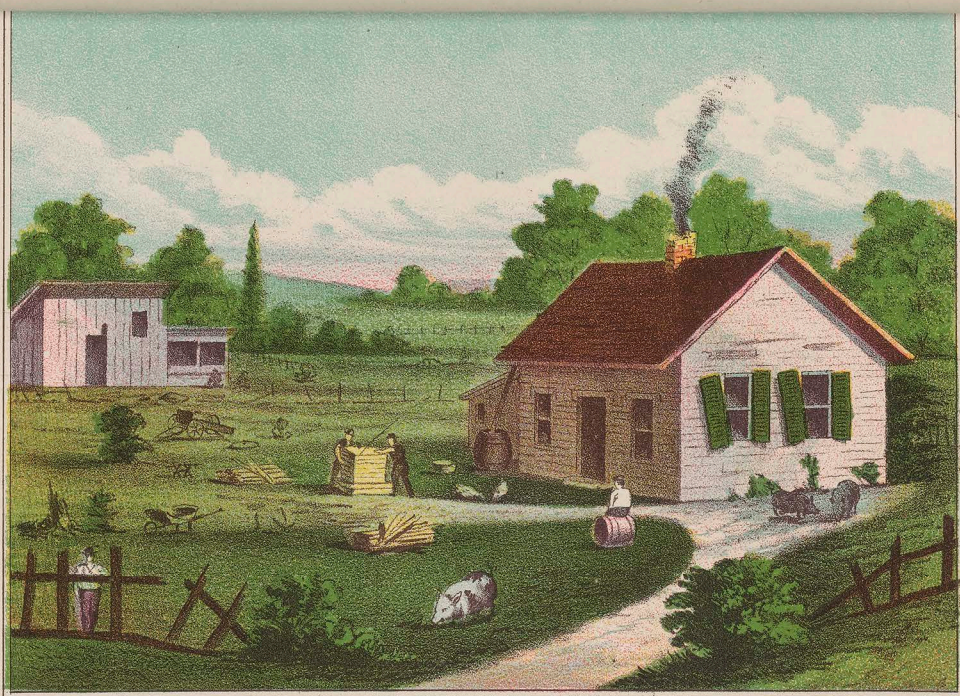
NEW ORNAMENTAL FRONT LAWN.
Design for Front Lawn of City or Suburban Residence.



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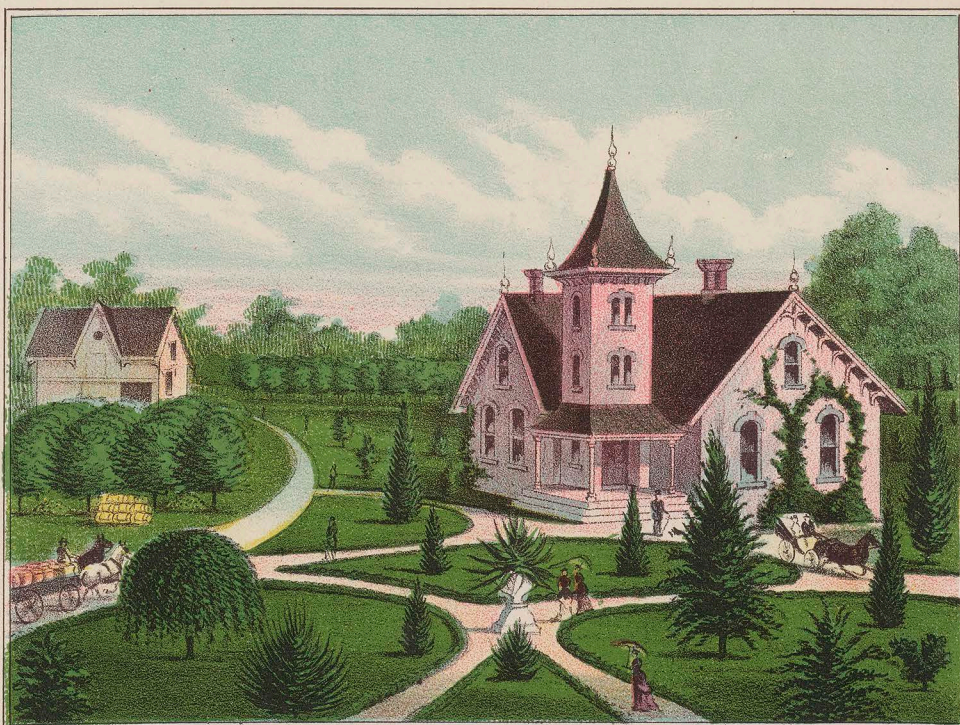
GRAPE ARBOR.

Ornamental as well as useful.



As It Is

AN UNPLEASANT HOME
BEFORE PATRONIZING THE NURSEYMEN



As It Will Be

A PLEASANT HOME
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RED ASTRACHAN.

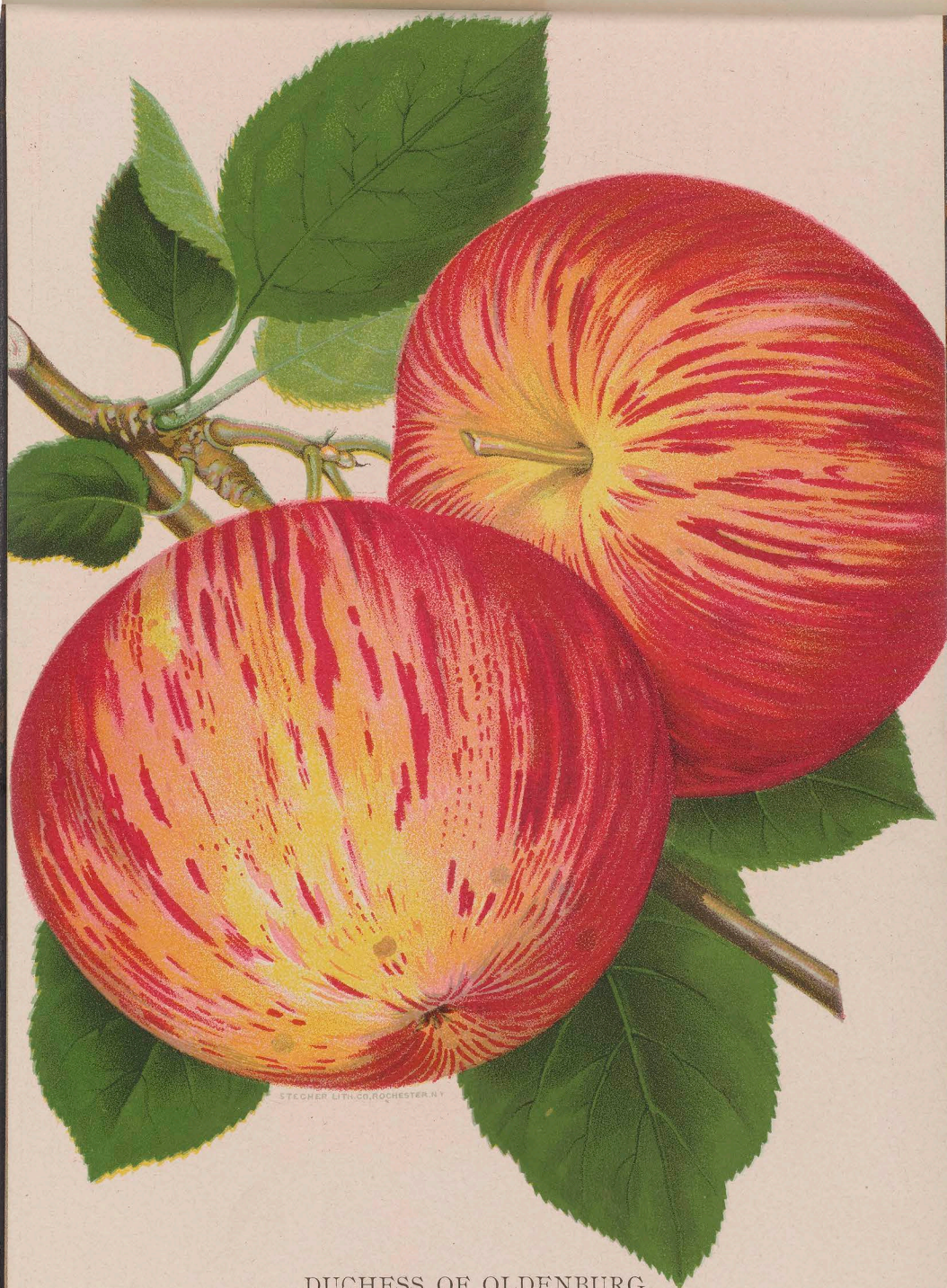
This is a free growing, hardy variety, with large foliage. One of the first to ripen its abundant crops of sub-acid fruit. Very handsome and valuable.



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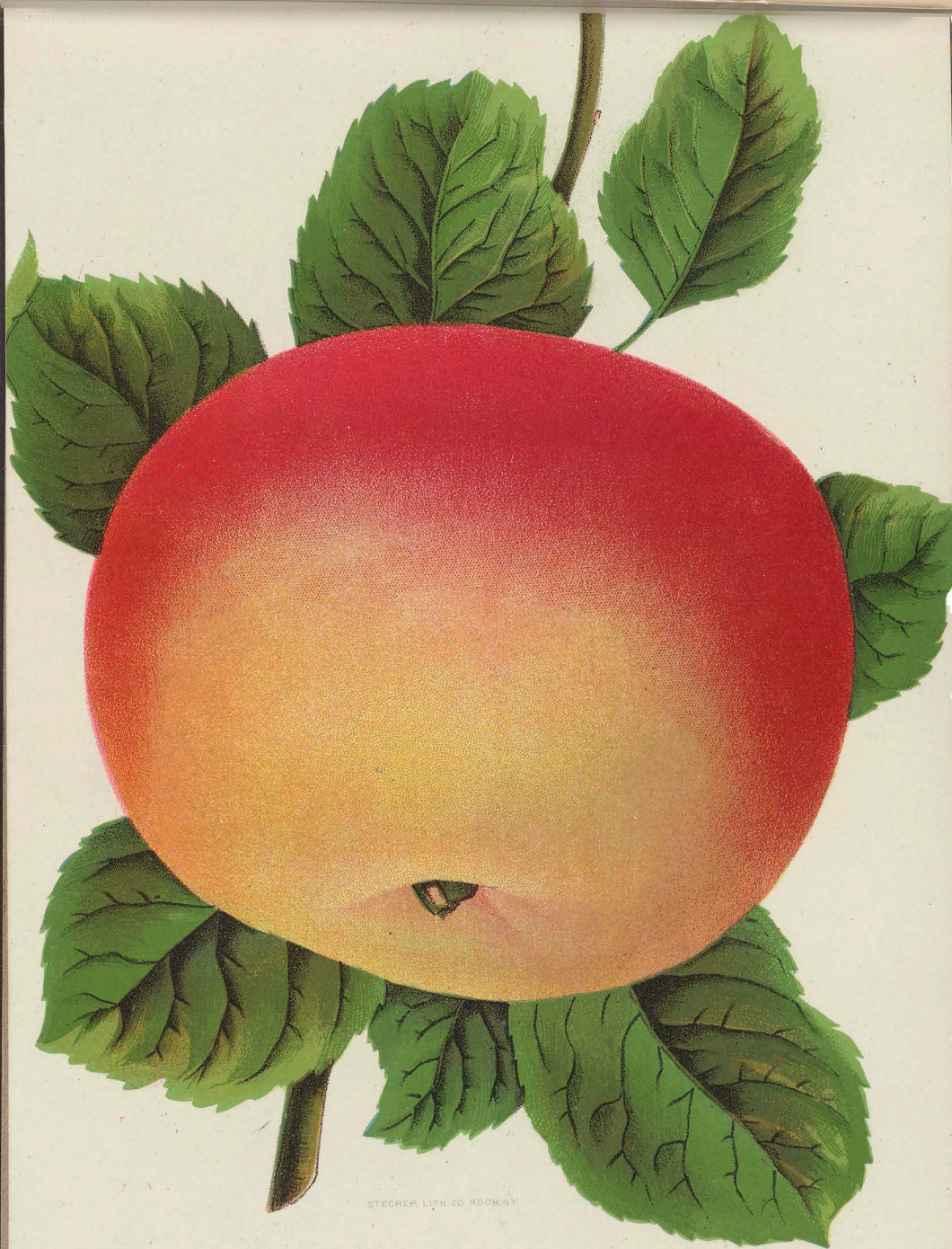
YELLOW TRANSPARENT.

Of Russian origin, but now largely planted East, West, North and South, and succeeds everywhere as a very hardy, early ripening, excellent variety.



DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG.

An autumn apple, of Russian origin; one of the most hardy varieties known; a vigorous grower; abundant bearer and of excellent quality. Very desirable for the extreme North; also, one of the best of its season in the South and West.



RED BIÉTIGHEIMER.

Of German origin. Tree a strong grower and abundant bearer. Flesh white, firm, sub-acid, with a brisk, pleasant flavor. In season from October to February.



BALDWIN.

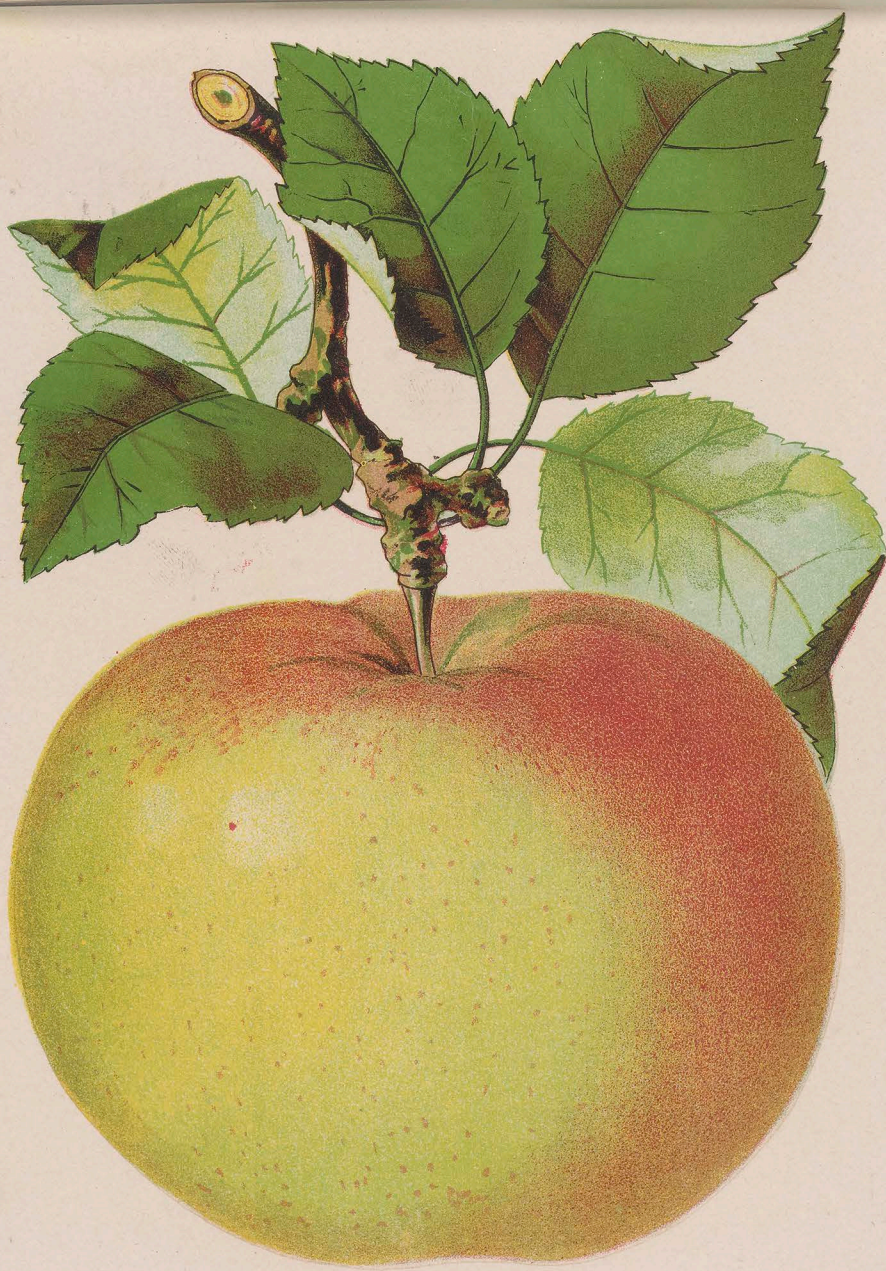
Well known as the most popular winter apple in Western New York.
Succeeds over a large extent of territory.



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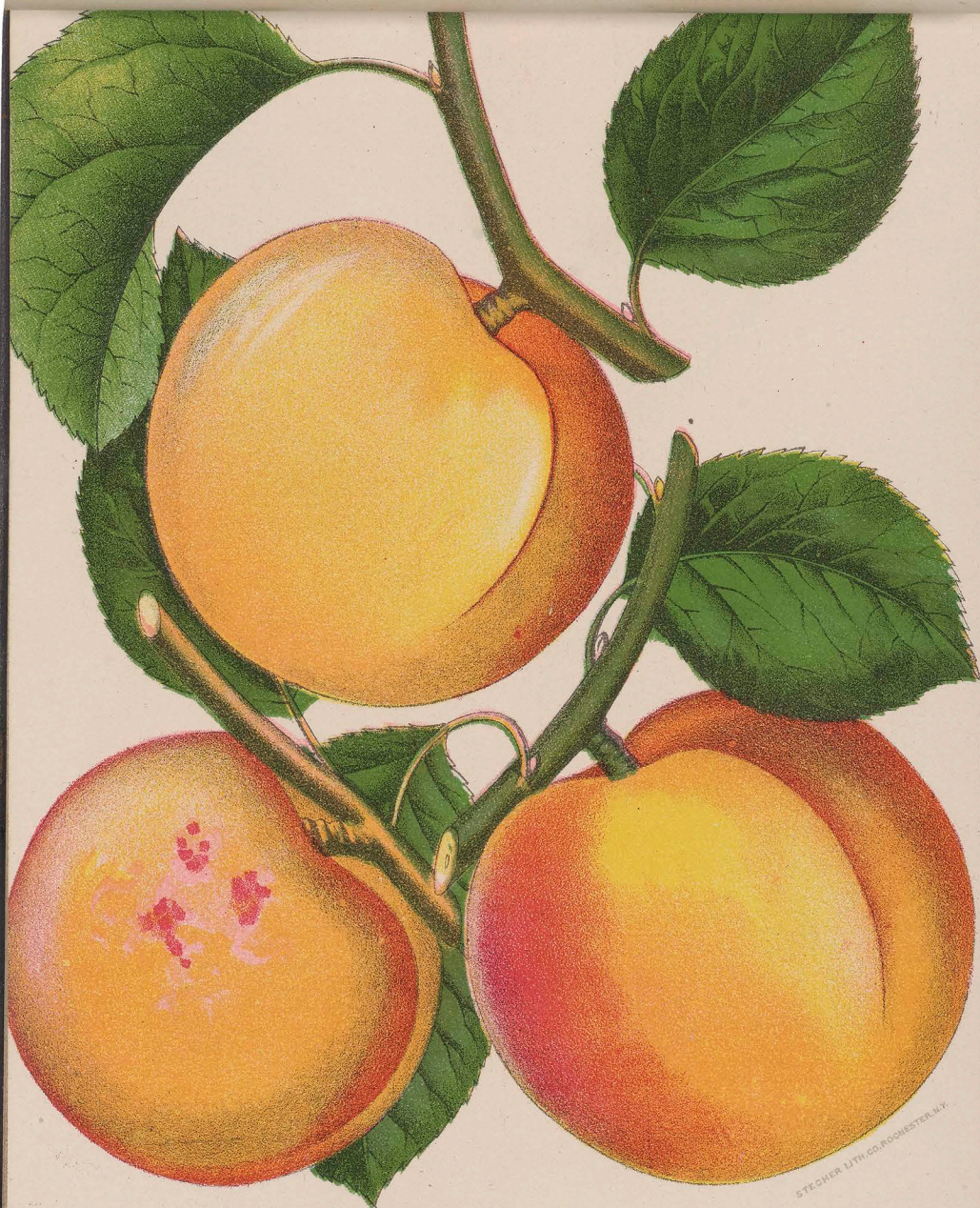
KING. TOMPKINS CO.

A superb apple of the finest quality. Tree a vigorous grower and good bearer. More hardy than some others and popular as a market apple. Ripens through mid-winter.



MANN.

This is one of the most valuable hardy varieties yet introduced. Fruit tender and juicy, with mild sub-acid flavor; bears early annual crops; keeps until April; desirable for the extreme North. Saleable trees 5 to 6 feet.



RUSSIAN APRICOTS.

No. 1 ALEXANDER.

An immense bearer; color yellow, flaked with red, both skin and flesh; flavor sweet, delicious. Season about July 1st.

No. 2. ALEXIS.

An abundant bearer; flavor slightly acid, rich and luscious; excellent, fine eating. Season about July 15th.

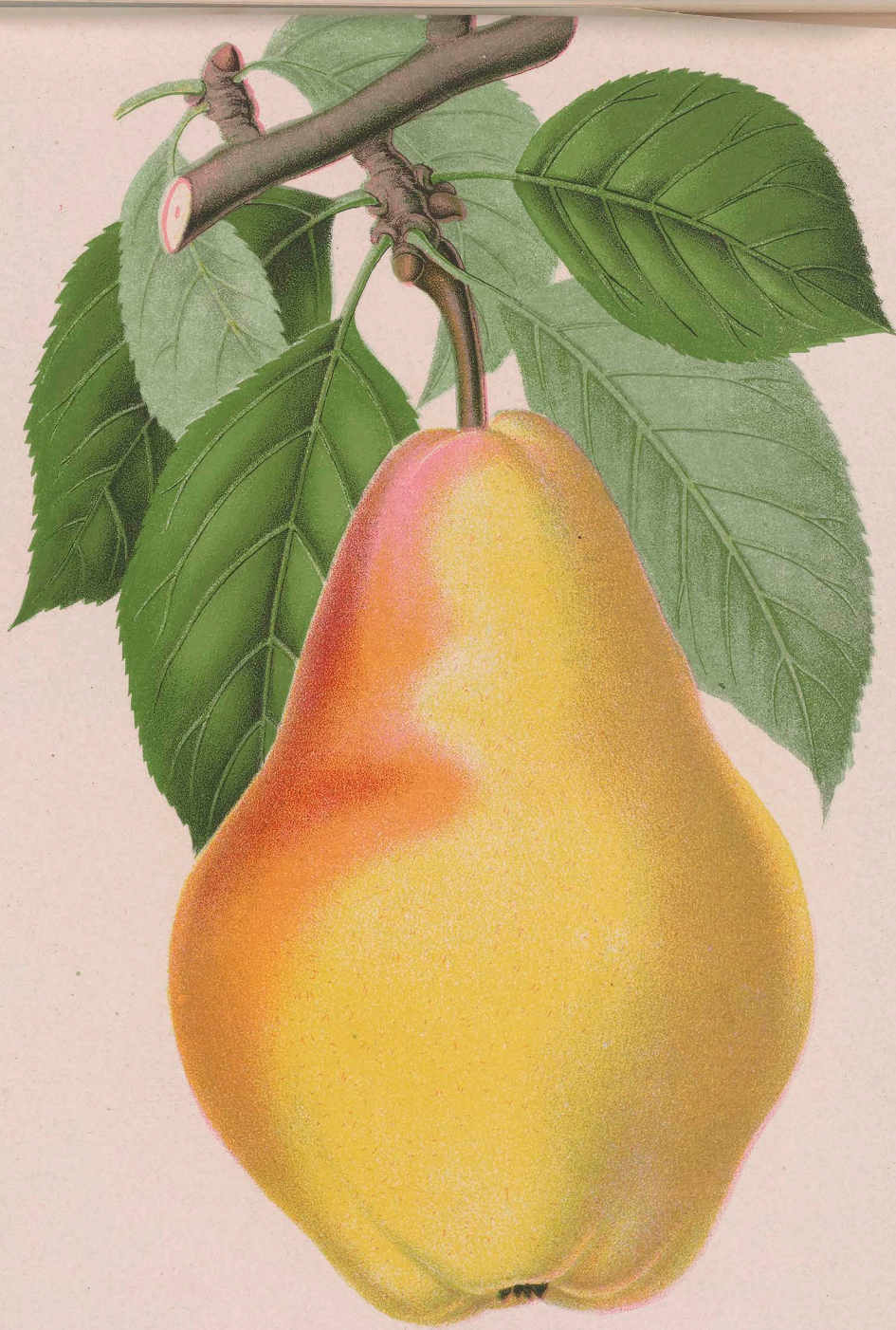
No. 3. J. L. BUDD.

Tree a strong grower and a profuse bearer. Fruit sweet, juicy, extra fine, with a sweet kernel as fine flavored as the almond and used for same purposes. The best late variety and a decided acquisition. Season about August 10th.



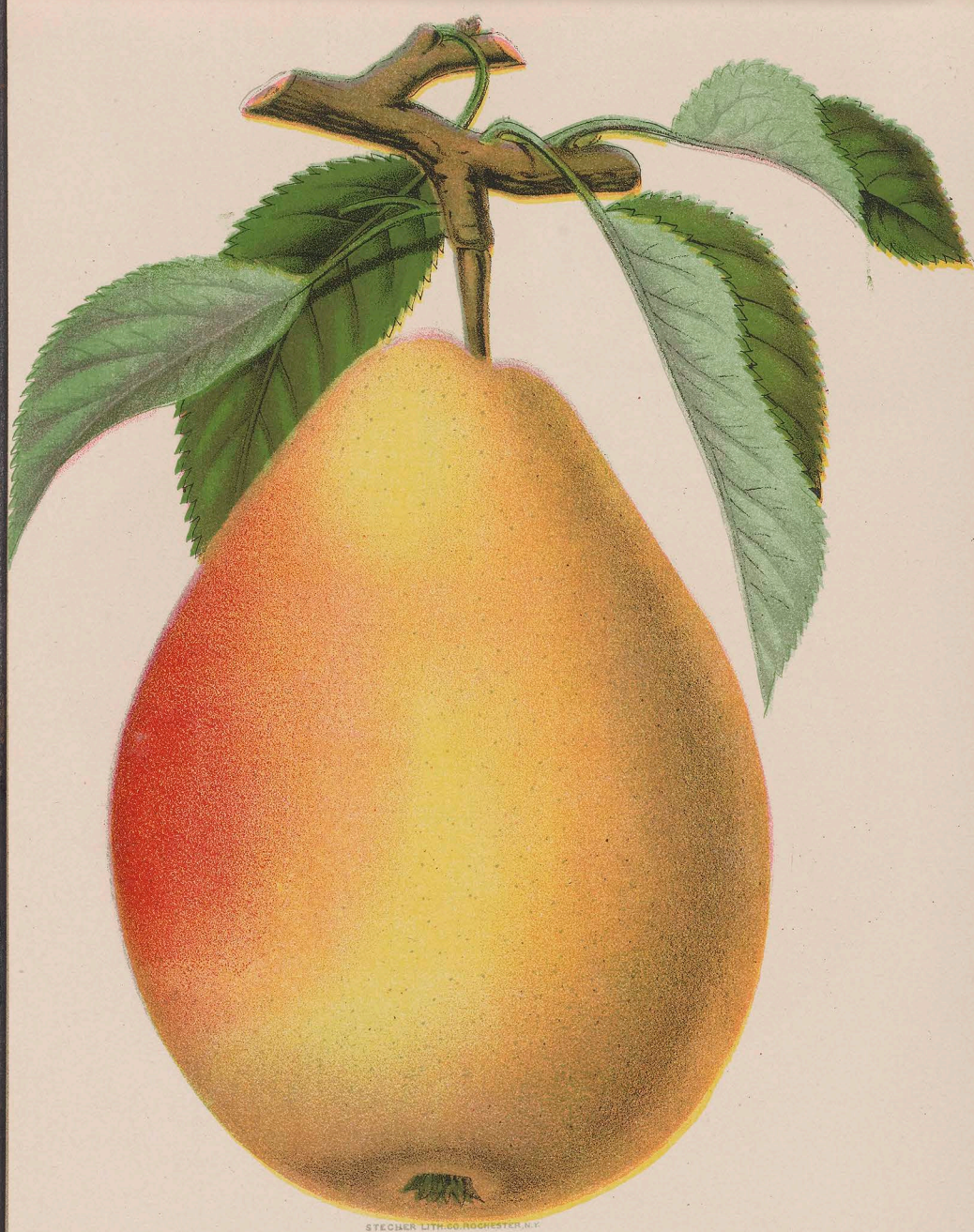
TRANSCENDENT CRAB.

A variety of Siberian. Tree a hardy and robust grower. One of the most beautiful varieties when in fruit. Valuable for preserves.



BARTLETT.

One of the best known and most popular pears. Tree a free grower, an early and abundant bearer. Fruit of the finest quality. Standard trees usually furnished 5 to 6 feet.



CLAPP'S FAVORITE.

Fruit handsome, fine grained and rich in quality ; tree as hardy as Flemish Beauty, and succeeds generally over a large extent of territory.



SECKEL.

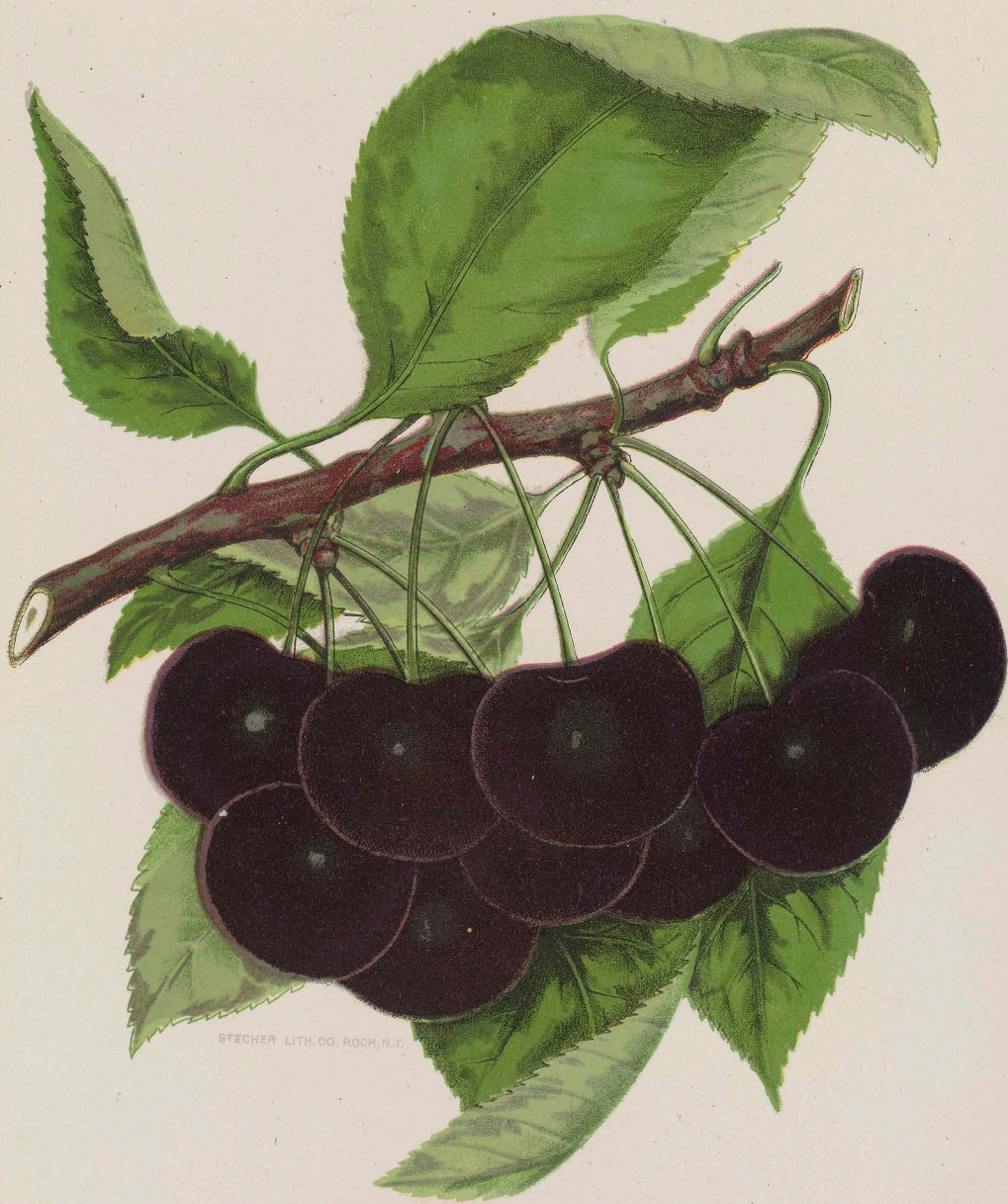
An old and well-known sort; flesh very juicy and melting, with a peculiar rich, spicy flavor and aroma; in fact the richest and finest quality known. Succeeds generally, and an abundant bearer. September and October. Standard, 5 to 6 feet. Dwarf, 3 to 4 feet.



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SHELDON.

Tree a good grower, producing an abundance of fruit of excellent quality, very juicy, melting, sweet and vinous. Should only be grown as a standard. Season October and November



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BLACK TARTARIAN.

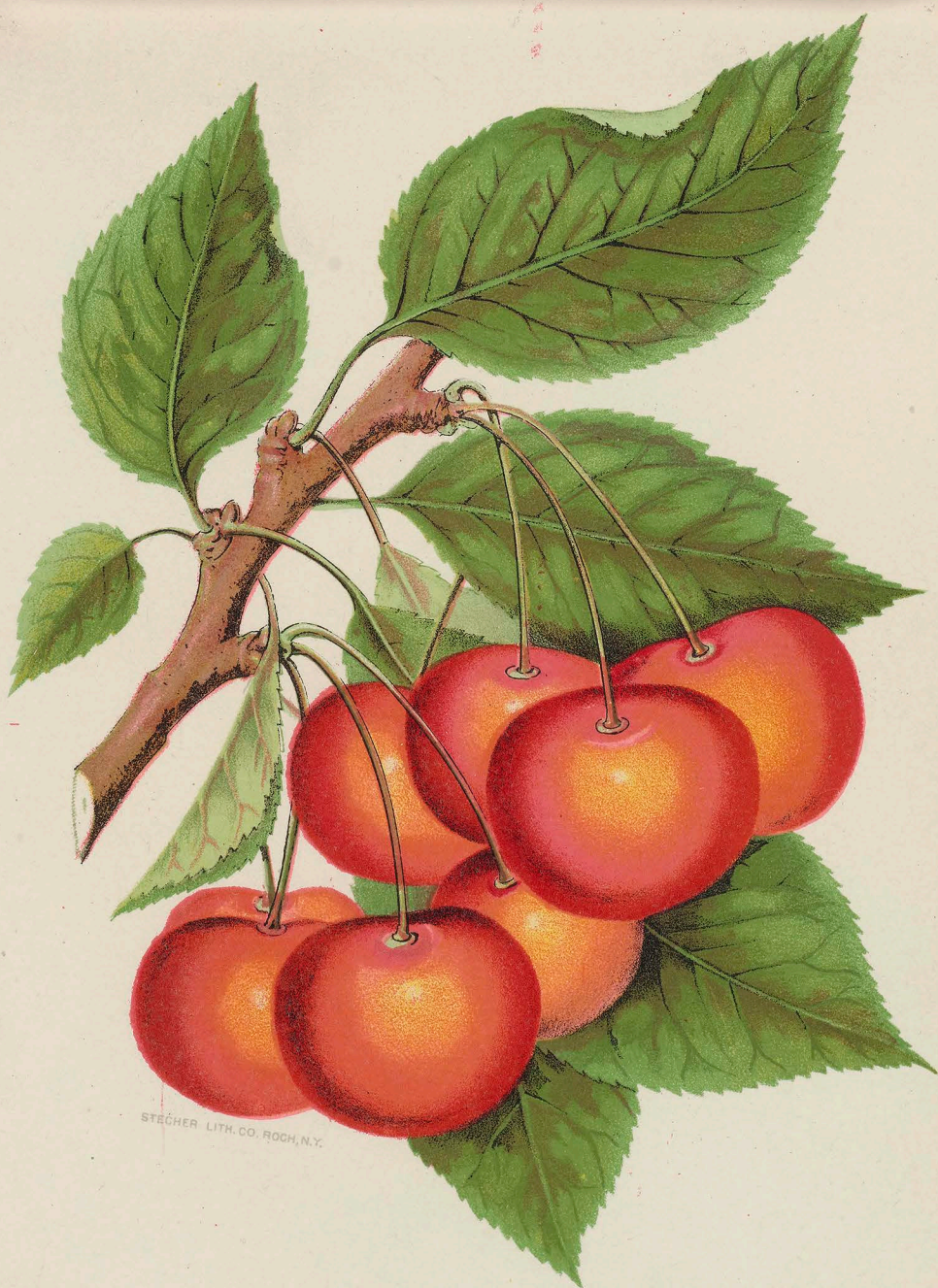
A vigorous upright grower; bearing abundant crops of rich, tender sweet fruit; one of the best black varieties in flavor and productiveness; ripens here middle of July.



GOVERNOR WOOD.

FOR CANADIAN HORTICULTURIST.

A sweet cherry, with a delicious flavor. Tree a rapid, thrifty grower, forming a wide-spreading top, valuable for its shade as well as its fruit.



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NAPOLEON BIGARREAU.

Tree, a strong and vigorous grower, very productive, fruit solid and fine flavored.



MOORE'S ARCTIC.

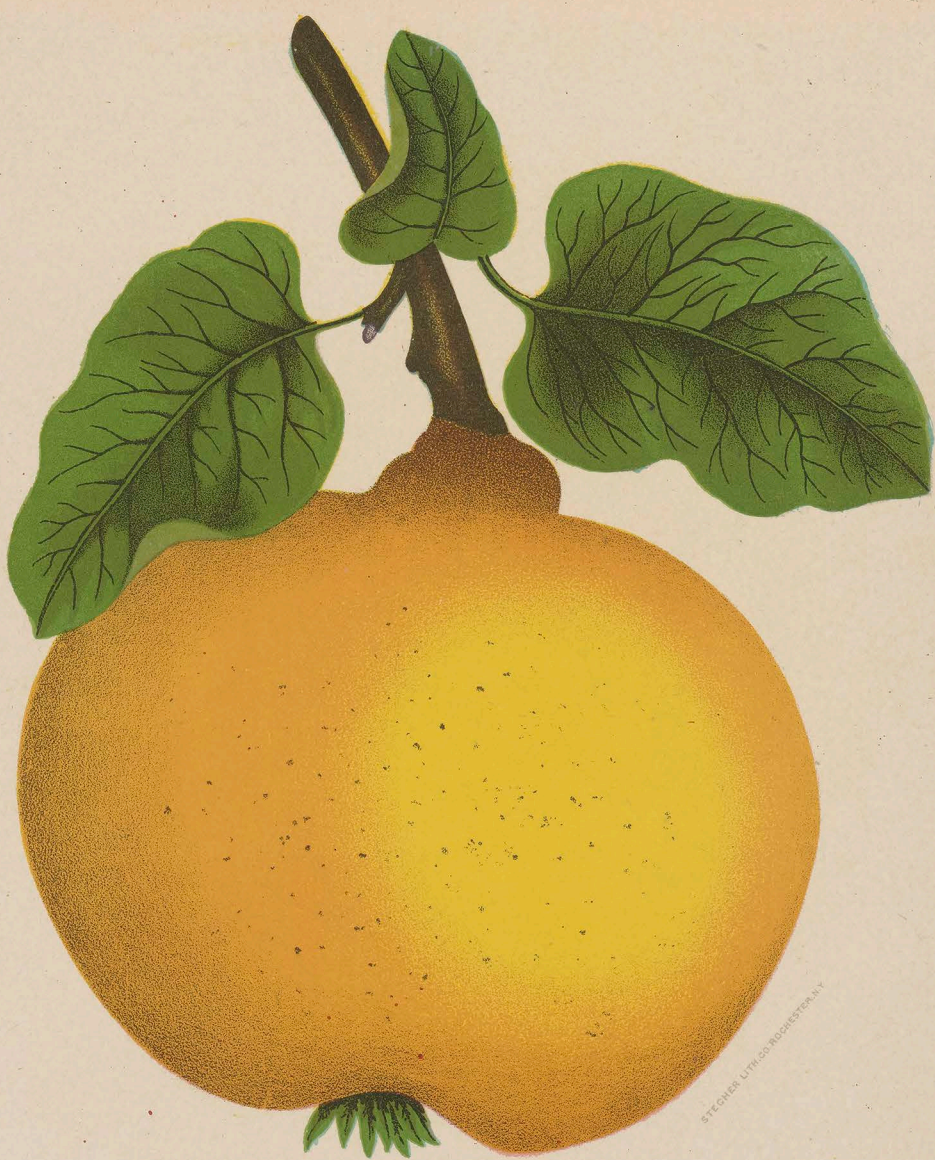
Tree a good grower, quite hardy and very productive, so much so as to be unaffected by the curculio ; producing enormous crops of fine fruit.



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CRAWFORD'S LATE.

A superb yellow-fleshed Peach, fine for market and canning; tree productive.



ORANGE QUINCE.

One of the most popular varieties in this country. Bears abundantly; most excellent for cooking. 3 to 4 feet.



MEECH'S PROLIFIC.

Bears early and abundantly. Ripens between Orange and Champion.

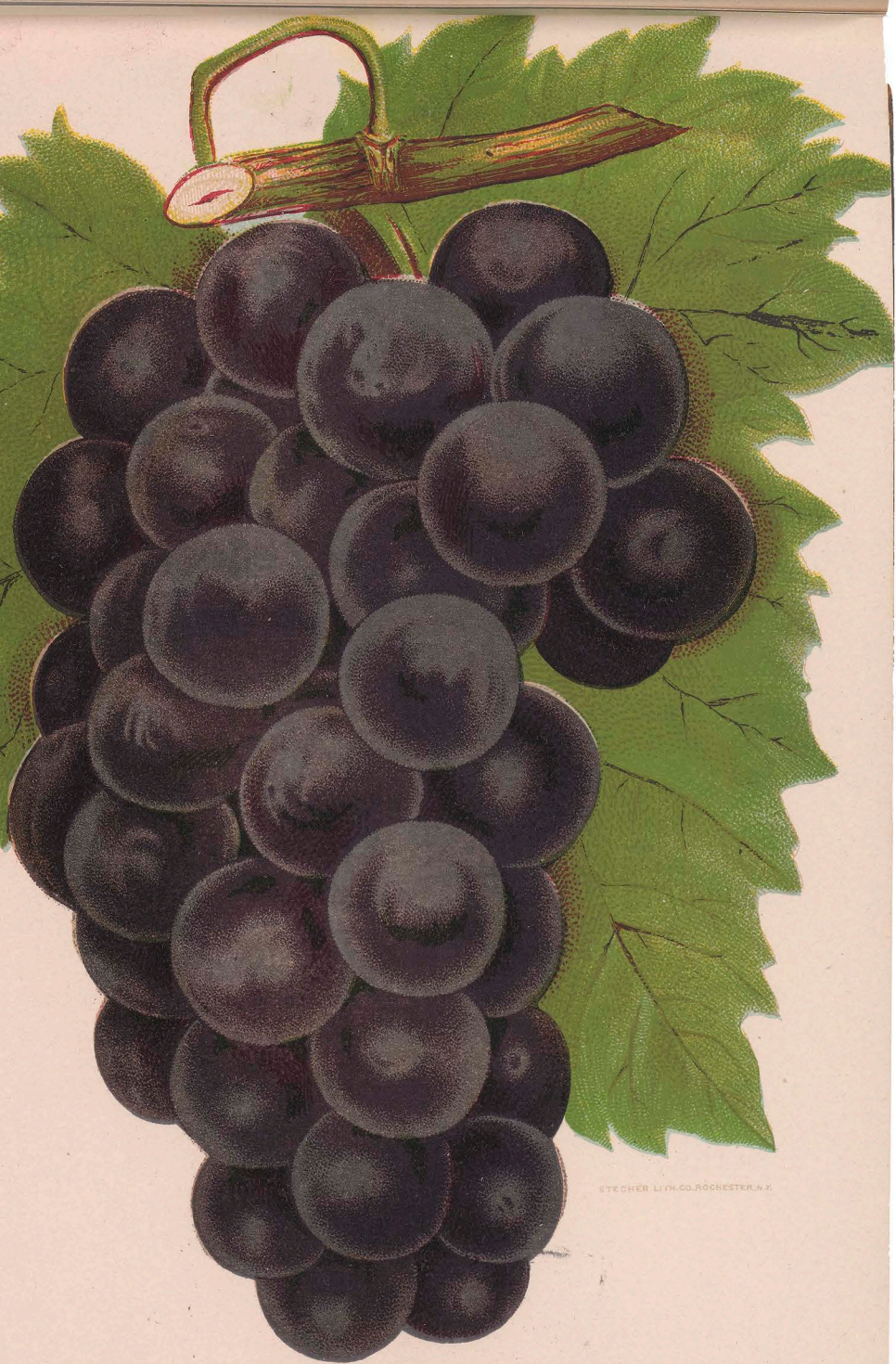
CONCORD



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CONCORD.

Very hardy, productive and popular; successful over a wider range of soil than any variety. First known in 1853 and still extensively planted for market and family use.



MOORE'S EARLY.

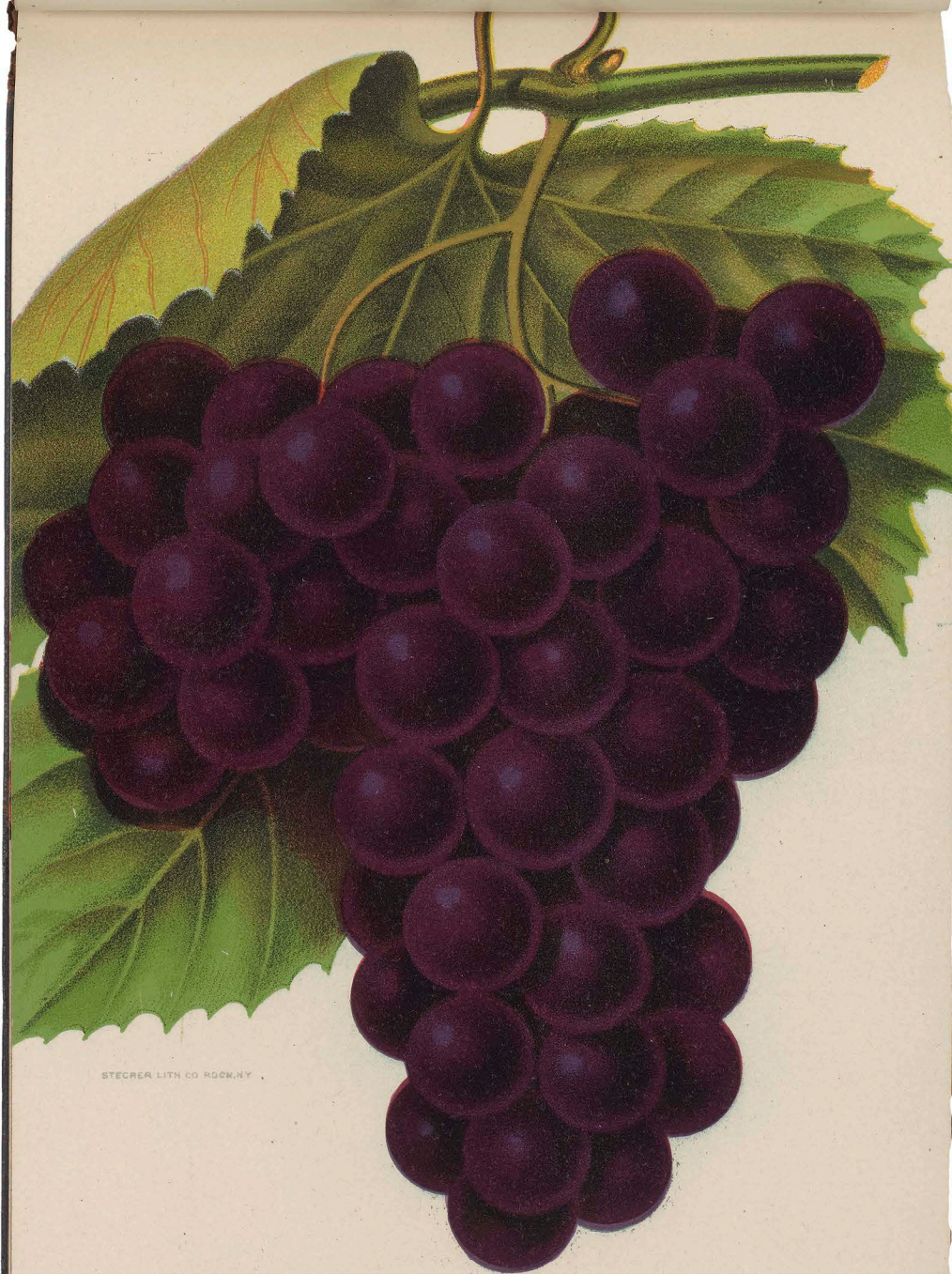
A very early and exceedingly hardy variety; fruit of large size and good quality.
Ripens about two weeks earlier than Concord.



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THE CHOICE NEW EARLY
WHITE GRAPE.
"MOORE'S DIAMOND"

From seed of Concord, fertilized with
sona, by JACOB MOORE, Esq., of Brigh-
ton, N. Y. (the well-known originator of
the "Brighton" Grape and other new
varieties), who considers this the most valu-
able variety he has ever produced. In
vigor of growth, color and texture, foli-
age and hardiness of vine, it partakes of
the nature of its parent, Concord; while
in quality the fruit is equal to many of the
best tender sorts, and ripens from two to
four weeks earlier than Concord.



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WORDEN.

Very much like Concord in growth and appearance; ripens earlier and is superior in quality.
A first-rate market and family grape, succeeding generally.



STECHER LITHO CO. ROCHESTER N.Y.

FAY'S PROLIFIC.

Wonderfully productive and of the very largest size and handsome appearance.



WHITE GRAPE CURRANT.

Very distinct and valuable with a mild and pleasant flavor ; a productive and excellent sort.



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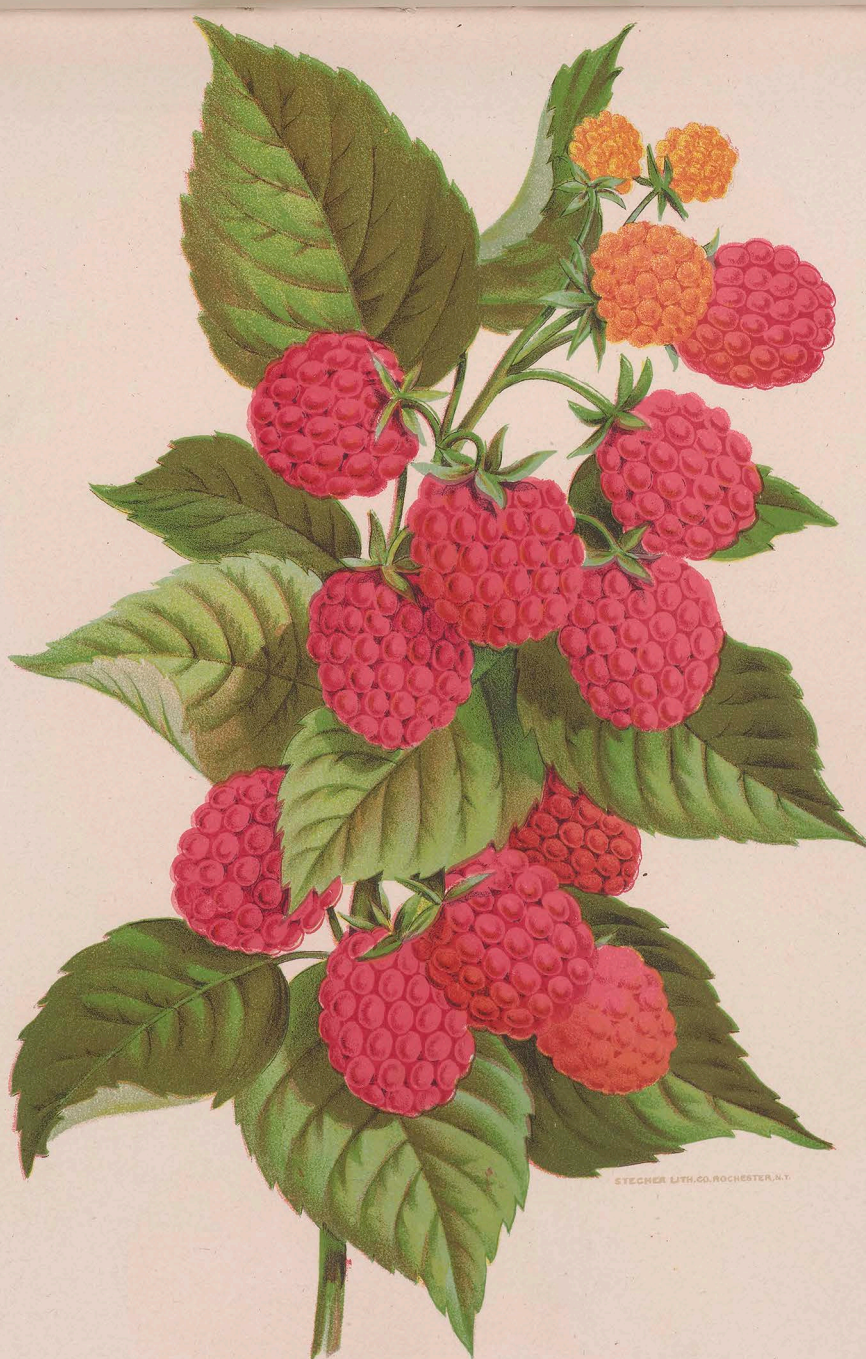
INDUSTRY GOOSEBERRY.

A vigorous grower and very productive. Exempt from Mildew. Fruit of the finest quality.



WHITE GRAPE CURRANT.

Very distinct and valuable with a mild and pleasant flavor ; a productive and excellent sort.



CUTHBERT.

One of the most valuable of the older varieties of red raspberries; hardy, healthy and productive; good flavor and ships well.



MARLBORO.

Has thus far proven to be one of the hardiest, earliest, largest and best carrying berries known. From its unparalleled firmness growers can send it from Rochester to New York by rail, nearly 400 miles. The originator now has berries of the Marlboro preserved which are 1 1-8 inches in diameter. Cups of them have been kept a week in good order for the table in the Marlboro post office, they being thrown out on the hand and back again each day, while many other varieties by their side, with the same treatment, were spoiled the third or fourth days. In regard to its earliness, the "Rural New Yorker" acknowledges the receipt of ripe fruit on the 26th of June. It required two days for the berries to reach the "Rural office."



WACHUSETT'S THORNLESS.

Fruit moderately firm, sweet and good. In flavor superior to most other blackberries.
A good keeper, ships well, and is therefore valuable as a market berry.

It is also very hardy and nearly free from thorns.



WEeping BIRCH (Cut-Leaved).

STECHER LITH. CO. ROCHESTER N.Y.

One of the most elegant and desirable of all the ornamental trees. Stands Minnesota climate without injury; foliage distinct from any other variety; its habit of growth makes it one of the most graceful and striking of all our lawn trees. This plate represents the tree as it stands in winter, with its silvery white bark and drooping branches. 7 to 8 feet.



MAGNOLIA.

There are many varieties of this much admired Ornamental tree which are suitable for planting on lawns or door yards. The varieties flower profusely from June through the summer.



CUT-LEAVED SILVER MAPLE.

One of the most rapid growing trees. Suitable for the lawn and shade. Has an abundance of clean, healthy foliage.



MAPLE (Weir's Cut-Leaved.

A silver maple with remarkably beautiful and very deeply serrated foliage, of rapid growth; shoots slender and drooping, giving it a very graceful appearance. Should be in every collection. Trees 7 to 8 feet in size.

CUT-LEAVED SILVER MAPLE.

(*Acer heterophyllum laciniatum*.)

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TEA'S WEEPING RUSSIAN MULBERRY.

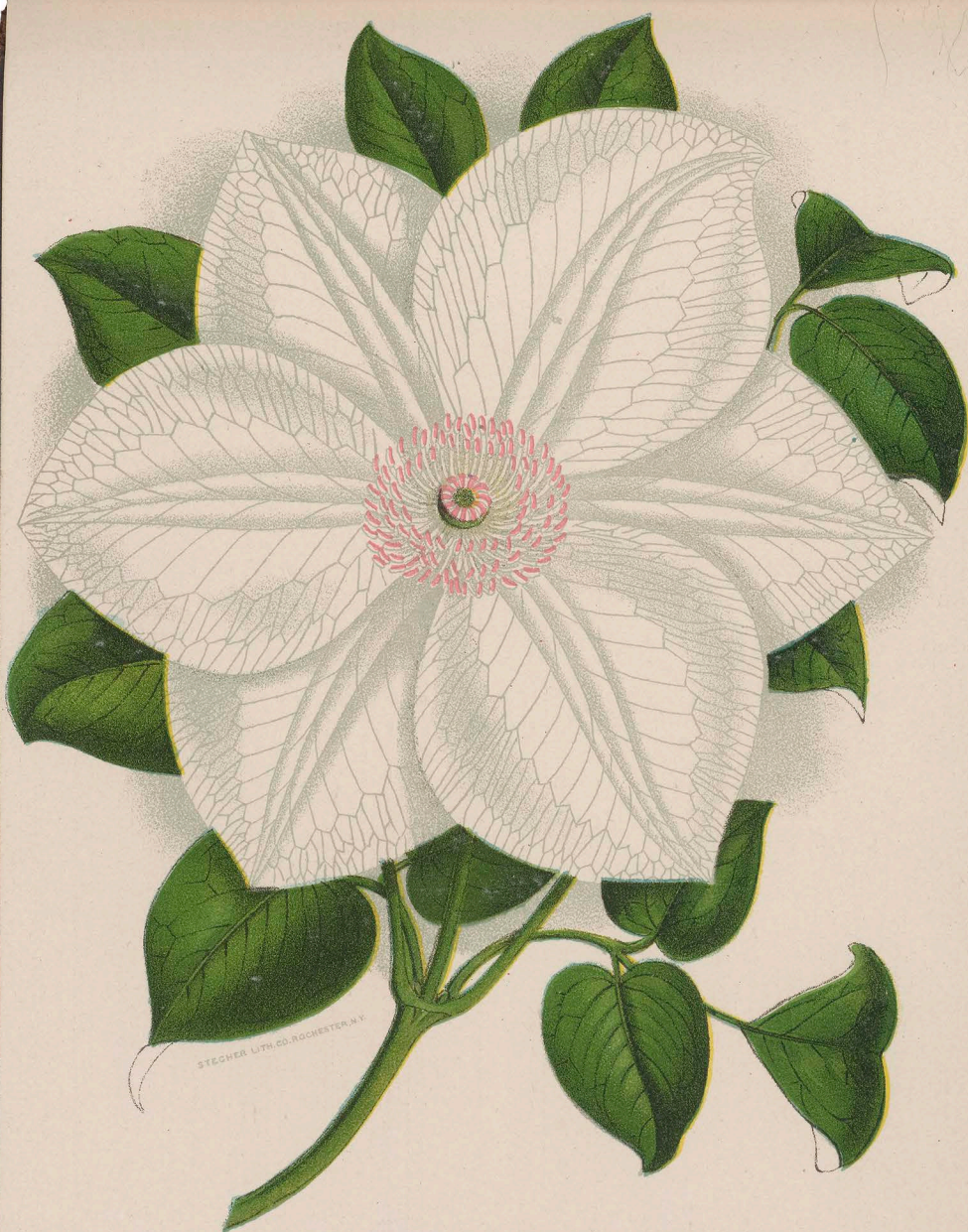
A weeping variety of the now well known Russian Mulberry ; perfectly hardy in summer and winter ; withstands extreme heat and cold and grows naturally in a very graceful form.



DOUBLE SCARLET THORN.

The Thorns are among the most beautiful of all flowering trees, and thrive in any dry soil. They have an abundance of bloom in May and June.

THE GARDEN OF THE FUTURE
DORRIS BOWEN, 1904



CLEMATIS—HENRYI

All the varieties of Clematis are very beautiful, hardy and rapid growing, free-flowering vines, well adapted for verandahs, porches, etc.



CLEMATIS JACKMANII.

Now well known and justly appreciated as one of the best of the many varieties of this popular hardy climbing plant.

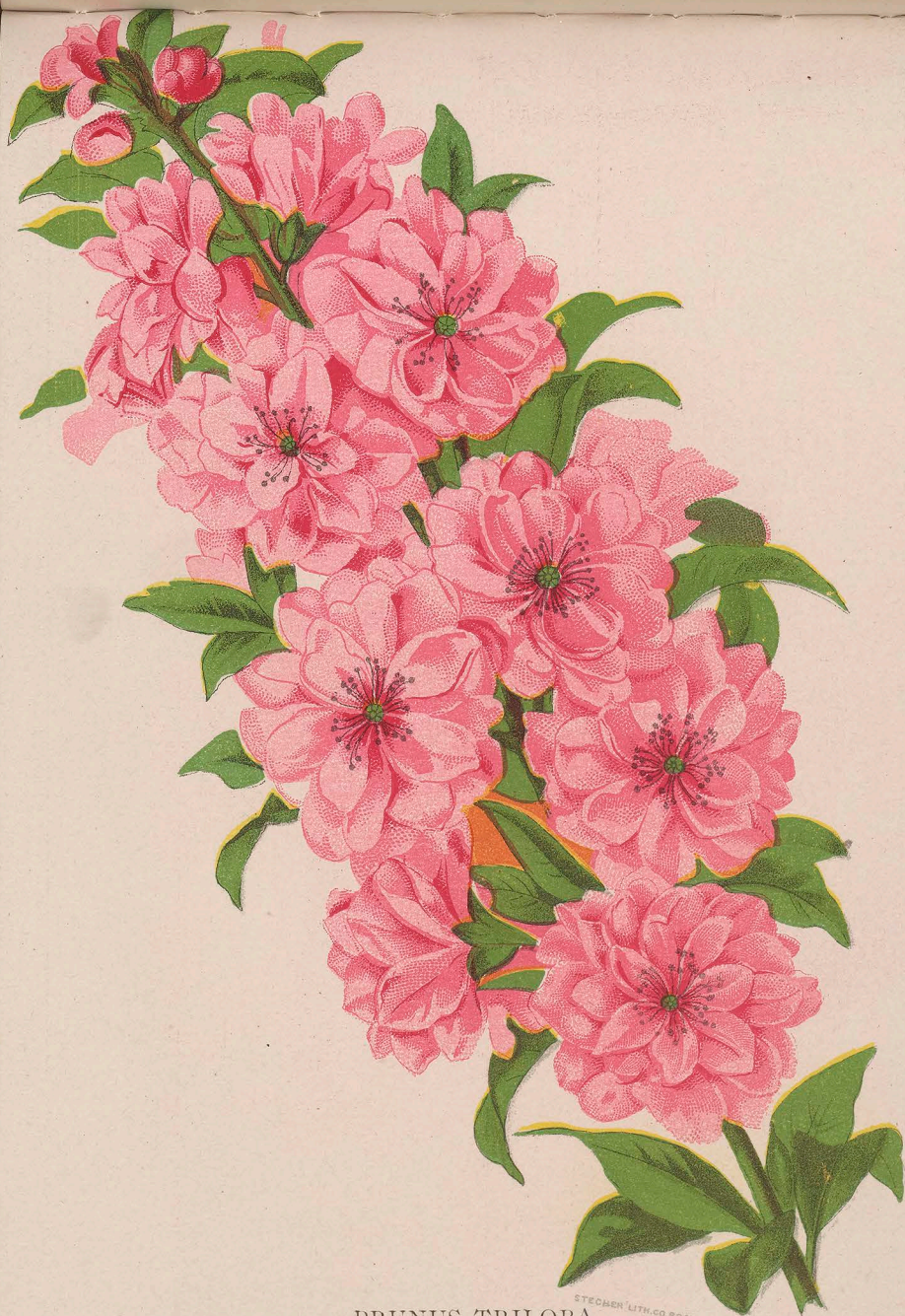
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DOUBLE ROSE FLOWERING DEUTZIA.

(*Deutzia Crenata*.)

There are several varieties of Deutzias. This is one of the best, hardy and free flowering.



PRUNUS TRILOBA.
(DOUBLE FLOWERING PLUM.)

A very hardy, early and free-flowering shrub ; native of China ; at the blossoming period each bush appears as one mass of bloom.



WHITE FRINGE.

A native shrub, producing pure white flowers like cut paper. Very popular and desirable.



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HALL'S CLIMBING JAPAN HONEYSUCKLE.

Nearly an evergreen climber, retaining its leaves until midwinter, and well adapted to covering screens; it flowers in abundance from July to December, and is the most fragrant of all the varieties.



HYDRANGEA PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA.
(Large Flowered Hydrangea.)

Perfectly hardy; grows rapidly, eventually attaining a height of 6 to 8 feet; commences to flower in August, when very few shrubs are in bloom, and lasts - until cut off by severe frosts.



JAPAN QUINCE.

(*Pyrus Japonica*.)

One of the first shrubs to unfold its beautiful scarlet flowers in spring. Very hardy and valuable as an ornamental hedge plant.



PRUNUS PESSARDII.

A new and distinct hardy ornamental shrub, or small-sized tree, valuable for planting near other shrubs with variegated foliage, forming a pleasing contrast.



RHODODENDRON - Pink.

Magnificent, flowering, evergreen shrubs, preferring a rather shaded situation and in the Northern States requiring winter protection.

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SNOWBALL.

(*Viburnum Plicatum.*)

A new Japanese Snowball, hardy, free flowering, and has beautiful foliage and pure white flowers.



SYRINGA.

(*Philadelphus*, *Syringa*, or *Mock Orange*.)

Golden-leaved *Syringa*; valuable for producing a pleasing contrast when planted near purple-leaved trees and shrubs.



PURPLE WISTARIA.

A hardy, rapid-growing climber, making shoots 15 to 20 feet in a season and producing clusters of purple flowers 10 to 12 inches long in early spring. Very handsome on balconies or porches.



HERBACEOUS PAEONIA—Pink.

Herbaceous Pæonias, as a class, almost rival the rose in brilliancy of coloring and perfection of bloom. Roots are perfectly hardy ; tops die down in winter.

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HERBACEOUS PAEONIA—White.

Herbaceous Paeonias, as a class, almost rival the rose in brilliancy of coloring and perfection of bloom. Roots are perfectly hardy; tops die down in winter.



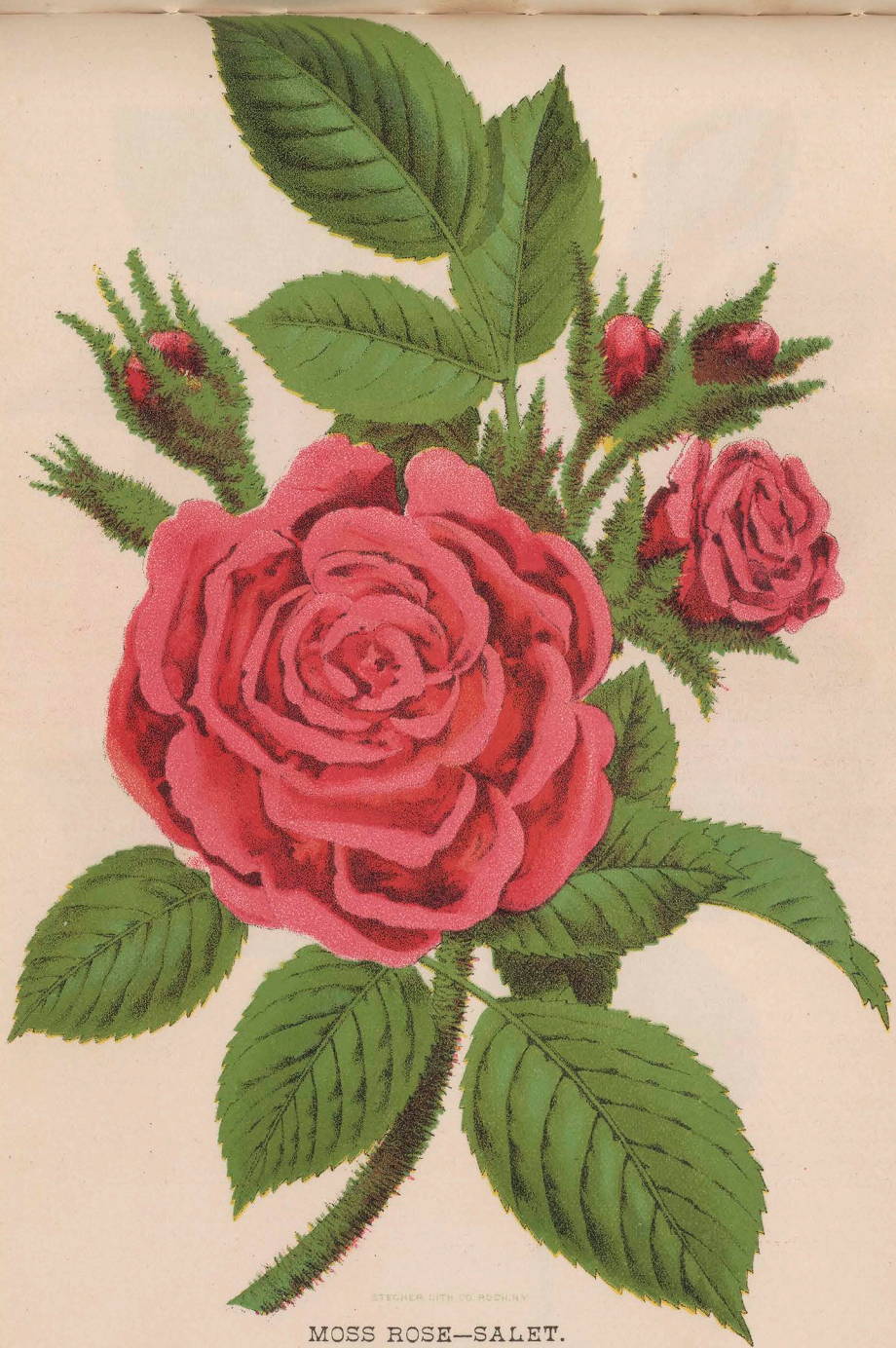
ALFRED COLOMBE.

Strong grower and free bloomer. Large, full, globular and very sweet; hybrid perpetual; of first quality.



BALTIMORE BELLE.

White with blush centre, very full and double; the finest of its class; a rapid grower with hardy and luxuriant foliage, and immense clusters of flowers; climbing. 24 inches.



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MOSS ROSE—SALET.



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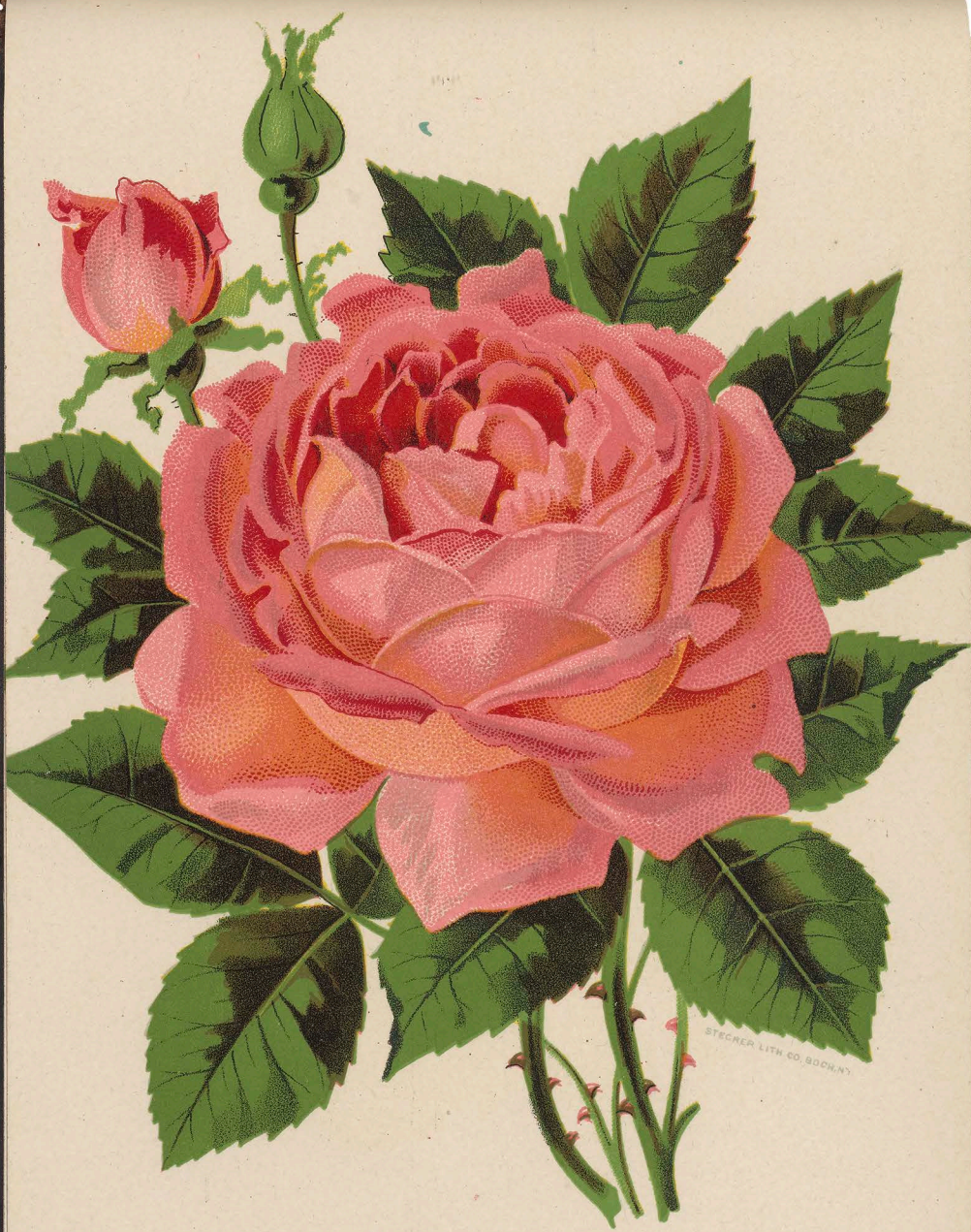
GEN. JACQUEMINOT.

A beautiful, well-known sort ; blooms freely ; a fine growing rose, universally planted and very popular ; a magnificent variety.



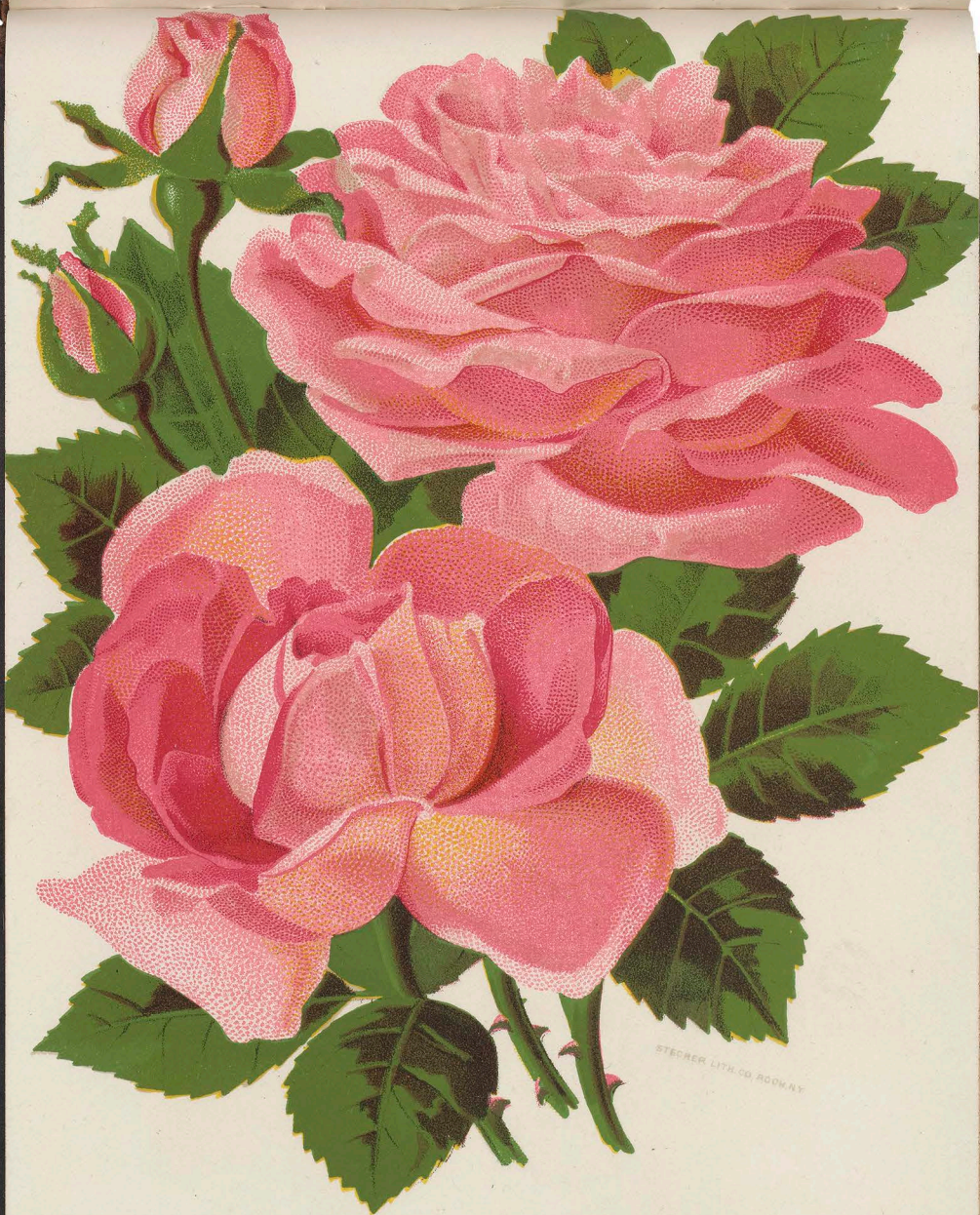
LA FRANCE.

A Hybrid Tea Rose, the sweetest and most useful of all Roses. None can surpass it in general appearance.



MAGNA CHARTA.

A vigorous-growing, fragrant rose; very valuable and desirable for general cultivation.



PAUL NEYRON.

This is regarded as one of the largest in cultivation; is a free bloomer, hardy and very desirable in every way.



PERSIAN YELLOW.

The best hardy yellow rose in cultivation; has an abundance of yellow bloom early in the season.



PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN.
One of the strongest growers. Very free flowering and desirable.

